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MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY REACTIVE
TO HUMAN iNOS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

(37 C.F.R. §1.115)

Please amend the present application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS:

1-81 (canceled).

82(new): An immunoassay method for analysis of a
sample,

comprising the steps of:

a. contacting the sample with a particular binding
monoclonal antibody specifically recognizing human iNOS enzyme
without cross-reacting with human nNOS or human eNOS; and